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Name of Patentee(s): <u>CHUN-GEUN CHOI</u>		
Patent Number: <u>6,025,823</u>	Date of Patent Issued <u>February 15, 2000</u>	
Title of Invention: <u>COLOR CURVE CONTROL CIRCUIT AND METHOD</u>		
<p>I believe said patentee(s) to be the original, first and sole/joint inventor(s) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in said patent, for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled <u>COLOR CURVE CONTROL CIRCUIT AND METHOD</u></p>		
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<p>The undersigned officer of the Assignee, is duly authorized to make this Declaration, and has examined the documents of title, and determined that Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd., the assignee of U.S. Patent No. 6,025,823 by virtue of an Assignment from all inventors recorded in the U.S. Patent &amp; Trademark Office at Reel No. 8748, at Frame No. 0366 on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1997, consents to the filing of this reissue application for the reissue of U.S. Patent No. 6,025,823.</p> <p>I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.</p>						
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